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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.: 10/542,027      Group Art Unit: 2839  
Filing Date: January 17, 2006      Examiner: Jean F. Duverne  
Applicant: Michael FREIMUTH et al.      Confirmation No.: 8483  
Title: MODULAR WIRING DEVICE  
Attorney Docket: 32860-000905/US

Customer Service Window  
Randolph Building  
401 Dulany Street  
Alexandria, VA 22314  
**Mail Stop Amendment**

August 28, 2008

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 12, 2008, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this Amendment.

	Claims remaining after Amendment		Highest number previously paid for		Present extra
<b>Total</b>	23	-	23	=	0
<b>Independent</b>	3	-	3	=	0